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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Monday, May 3, 2010 at 9:00 a.m.

PLACE: Division of Professional Regulation

861 Silver Lake Blvd., Conference Room A Cannon Bldg., Dover, Delaware 19904

MINUTES FOR APPROVAL: June 7, 2010

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dr. Gary Johnson, Professional Member, President

Dr. Marcia Halperin, Professional Member, Vice President

Dr. Mark Fleming, Professional Member, Secretary

Dr. Steve Eichel, Professional Member

Dr. Rick Brokaw, Professional Member

Eleanor Allione, Public Member

Joan McDonough, Public Member

Lee Wheeler, Public Member

Andrew Slater, Public Member

MEMBERS ABSENT

None

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Nancy Fields, Administrative Specialist II Patricia Davis Oliva, Deputy Attorney General

OTHERS PRESENT

None

CALL TO ORDER

Dr. Johnson called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Dr. Fleming, seconded by Ms. McDonough, to approve the minutes as presented. The motion unanimously carried.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Monitoring – Tamara Perry, Ph.D.

The Board reviewed a letter from Dr. Giardina who has agreed to mentor Dr. Perry as a result of the Board's Decision and Order set forth in February 2010. The Board advised that Dr. Perry and Dr. Giardina should meet once a month until June 2011 and Dr. Giardina should submit quarterly reports on when they met, what was discussed, and Dr. Perry's status.

Monitoring Earl Walker, Ph.D.

Mr. Slater recused himself from the discussion regarding Dr. Walker.

A hearing is scheduled for June 7, 2010 unless a copy of the appeal is received.

Monitoring Terry McCandies, Ph.D

The Board reviewed the reports from Drs. Gold and Zingaro regarding Dr. McCandies status.

A motion was made by Dr. Halperin, seconded by Ms. Wheeler, to accept these reports as meeting requirements. The motion unanimously carried.

Re-Review of Application of Dana Nicholson, Ph.D.

The Board reviewed the application and additional supervision documents recently received.

A motion was made by Dr. Fleming, seconded by Ms. Allione to propose to deny again due to the forms still not being correct and to advise them to follow Rule 7.2. The motion unanimously carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Review of Initial Application for Psychologist

The Board reviewed the application for Lisa N. Greene, Ph.D.

After review, a motion was made by Dr. Fleming, seconded by Ms. Wheeler, to propose to deny her application because her supervised work experience did not meet requirements. The motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed the application of Shabia Alimohamed, Ph.D.

After review, a motion was made by Dr. Halperin, seconded by Dr. Eichel, to approve her application for licensure. The motion unanimously carried.

Review of Applications to Sit for EPPP

There were no applications to review.

Review of Application for Licensure by Reciprocity

The Board reviewed the application of Julie Leusner, Ph.D. She is credentialed by the National Registry of Health Service Providers in Psychology.

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After review, a motion was made by Dr. Fleming, seconded by Ms. McDonough, to approve her application for licensure by reciprocity. The motion unanimously carried.

Review of Application for Psychological Assistant Registration

There were no applications to review.

Complaint Updates

None.

Correspondence

The Board reviewed the correspondence from Stephanie Traynor, Ph.D. that she is no longer supervising Marie Pitale. Since no other supervision paperwork has been received, a motion was made by Dr. Fleming, seconded by Ms. Allione, to void her registration and send a letter. The motion unanimously carried.

The Board reviewed the correspondence from Sarah Marvian, Ph.D. that she is no longer supervising Kim Phillips. Since no other supervision paperwork has been received, a motion was made by Dr. Fleming, seconded by Ms. Allione, to void her registration and send a letter. The motion unanimously carried.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD (DISCUSSION ONLY)

One of the Board members asked Ms. Murphy if Board members can be sued or held individually accountable. She advised them that they are the Division of Professional Regulation is a quasi state agency and as long as the Board acted as a whole in their decisions, they had immunity.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting date is scheduled for June 7, 2010.

<u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

There being no further business, a motion was made by Dr. Eichel, seconded by Ms. McDonough, to adjourn the meeting at 9:50 a.m. The motion unanimously carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Terry Lilds

Nancy Fields, Administrative Specialist II Board of Examiners of Psychologists